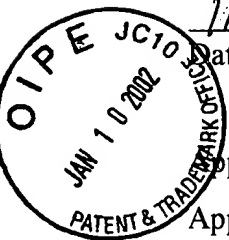


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 21, 2001 from October 21, 2001 to November 21, 2001. The petition fee in the amount of \$110.00, and any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0665. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

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